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STRUCK BY TRAIN, FELL OFF BRIDGE

A Night Watchman Tumbles
Twenty-four Feet.

Although Terribly Bruised, No Bones
Were Broken and He Will
Recover.

J. H. MORPHEW'S EXPERIENCE

J. H. Morphew, 42 years old, night watchman at the new Maxon Mill steel bridge, under course of construction, was struck by an Illinois Central freight train last night shortly after 10 o'clock and hurled from the bridge. He fell a distance of 24 feet, and was seriously injured. He was cared for by physicians at Maxon Mills until this morning, when he was brought to Paducah and placed in the Illinois Central hospital.

Morphew came from Minnesota, and has been watching the bridge since work began. Last night he was standing on the bridge when freight train, No. 857, in charge of Engineer Bob Bean and Conductor F. M. Hill, appeared. He was unable to reach the end of the structure, and was struck.

He alighted on his left side and his shoulder and side were bruised. His right leg, where it was struck by the engine pilot, was badly bruised. He is thought not to have been internally injured.

Calhoun County Warehouse.
Murray, Aug. 27.—(Special)—All stock in the new tobacco warehouse for the Planters' Protective association has been subscribed and it is announced that work will begin at once. It is presumed that the warehouse will be ready for this year's tobacco crop if possible. Since the money has been raised for the warehouse the farmers are encouraged. The building will be a substantial structure and will add to Murray's commercial interests.

Col. Hendrick Speaks.
Murray, Aug. 27.—(Special)—Colonel John K. Hendrick, of Paducah, Democratic candidate for attorney general, spoke to a large crowd here yesterday and interest was aroused at the speaking. Much favorable comment was heard of the manner in which Colonel Hendrick complimented Judge Breathitt, Republican candidate for attorney-general. Colonel Hendrick left here for Paducah, where he will remain until Saturday and then leave for Lawrence and Lewis counties, in the extreme eastern part of the state. He is prepared for a strenuous campaign and will be out after Saturday until the campaign is over.

Mrs. Den Dance.
Woodville, Aug. 27.—(Special)—Mrs. Den Dance, a popular young matron of this place, died this morning at her home of typhoid fever after a severa weeks' illness. Her husband and an infant daughter survive her. She was 25 years old and was born and reared near Hazelwood. The funeral and burial took place this afternoon at Woodville.

Charles Crawford's Funeral.
Grahamville, Aug. 27.—(Special)—The funeral of the late Charles Crawford was held this morning and the burial took place in the family burial grounds in Grahamville. The Rev. A. M. McGee lead the services.

Tobacco Barn Burned.
Prestonville, Ky., Aug. 27.—Henry Crouch's tobacco barn near here, was burned today with 150 hogsheads of American Equity tobacco and a large quantity of leaf tobacco. The loss is estimated at \$150,000.

Denies Invasion of Persia.
Constantinople, Aug. 27.—The government is dispatching a special commission of officials of high rank to the Turko-Persian frontier to open an inquiry on the recent invasion by Turks of Persian territory, and the bloodshed and destruction of property that followed. The porte repudiates the allegations that Ottoman troops advanced beyond the frontier. Reports here say that the matter threatens to assume a grave character, especially as the Persian residents of the district are being persecuted by Turkey's Kurdish auxiliaries.

Lake Hopatcong, N. J., Aug. 27.
The body of Miss Agnes Maguire, the Brooklyn school teacher, who disappeared mysteriously Saturday night, was found dead in Lake Hopatcong.



COMPROMISE FOR LOWER BROADWAY

Fifteen Minute Schedule and
Cars to Third Street.

Traction Company Will Extend De-
pot Line To Reach Heart of
the City.

CHANGES IN ROWLANDTOWN.

Beginning Thursday, a change of schedule will be made for the Rowlandtown and Union Station cars. For some time merchants on lower Broadway and the two hotels have appealed to the traction company to run the Union Station car to the river, but this has been found impracticable. As a compromise the Paducah Traction company will run the car to Third street and a car will leave Third street and Broadway every 15 minutes, instead of every 12 minutes as at Fourth street and Broadway.

The Union Station line is too long, when stops are frequent, for the 12 minute schedule, and with a car every 15 minutes, the street car will have several minutes to wait at the Union Station for the trains, which will be a convenience to patrons. A car will leave Third street and Broadway and one at Union Station at 6 o'clock in the morning and continue a car every 15 minutes until 9:30 o'clock when the schedule is changed to 30 minutes. The instructions were given to J. W. McNeely, trainmaster today.

HOLLAND BANK.
New York, Aug. 27.—Private cable advice to the international bankers here, state that the Arnhemse bank of Amsterdam, Holland, has failed.

CHICAGO CRIME.
Chicago, Aug. 27.—Mysterious murders and robberies continue. This morning the body of an unidentified man was found in the rear of a station of the fire department with his throat cut and every indication of robbery.

THE PLAGUE.

Washington, Aug. 27.—Additional officers have been ordered to San Francisco by the marine hospital and public health service to combat the spread of the plague. Since the discovery of four cases two weeks ago, a sailor died at the marine hospital from disease and at least two more cases have developed.

SAVING YEAR'S TIME BY EIGHT MILLION

TORNADO.

Washington, Aug. 27.—A tornado struck the towns of Woodsfield and Newcastle, O., wrecking a number of buildings and doing other damage. The house of Samuel Bartemus, near Woodsfield, was entirely destroyed and a two-year-old child killed. The child was torn from its mother's arms and carried nearly a quarter of a mile.

ASPHALT CASE.

Caracas, Aug. 27.—Three years after the beginning of the sensational trial of the New York and Bermudez Asphalt company for complicity in the Mato revolution, judgment was rendered against the defendant company, it being condemned not only to pay five million dollars damages, the calculated cost to government of subduing the revolution, but also to pay other sums to be fixed by commission experts and which may very likely amount to ten million dollars, more.

YALE CHAPTER HOUSE BURNS.

New Haven, Conn., Aug. 27.—Sachem, a Yale Sheffield senior society chapter house, which was just completed and would have been occupied for the first time this fall, was destroyed by fire about 4 o'clock this morning. The building cost \$40,000.

Last June at commencement there was a graduate reunion in the building the first Yale event ever held there. It is believed electric wires caused the fire.

NELSON MORRIS DEAD.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 27.—Nelson Morris, the millionaire packer, head of the firm of Nelson, Morris & company, died at his home this afternoon after a lingering illness from heart disease. Morris was one of the remaining members of the old guard, to whose efforts Chicago owes her supremacy in the packing industry. His estate is estimated at 25 millions.

LEGISLATOR KILLED.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 27.—John T. Lyman, former member of the state legislature, was struck by lightning and killed, while covering a hay stack at his home, Farmington, during the storm today.

BANDIT NOW A HOTEL CLERK.

Topeka, Kan., Aug. 27.—Emmet Dalton, the Coffeyville bandit, who is out of the state penitentiary on parole, has secured a position. He will be night clerk for the Copeland hotel.

WANTED NO PHYSICIAN.

London, Aug. 27.—The Earl of Dunmore, one of the most prominent advocates of Christian Science in England, died suddenly today. Medical attention was offered the earl, but he died without allowing a physician to see him.

PRINCETON FUGITIVE.

Princeton authorities telephoned to Paducah police last night to arrest Walter alias Pete Gibson, wanted in Princeton for criminal assault.

No details of the alleged assault were received, and the police are trying to identify the fugitive.

COMES OUT FOR ROOSEVELT.

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—McGauley in New York World.

Women and Children Fight Out Question of Roller Skating on Sidewalks Before City Council

Street Committee Agrees on Ordinance Prohibiting Skat- ing, But the Children and Their Champions Promise to Exert Some Influence on General Council.

ONE COUNCILMAN STUNG

Heretofore the claims of the children to the privilege of skating on the sidewalks in the open air, declared by physicians to be the most healthful of exercises for city children, has triumphed over all opposition in the general council, but south side citizens, aroused to a height of indignation by condition prevalent there, which do not obtain elsewhere, sent their women to the front last night, and the street committee succumbed to the most vigorous and effective onslaught the members had ever before experienced in their councilmanic careers. The committee agreed to order an ordinance, prohibiting skating on the sidewalks altogether. But their troubles are not yet ended, for the youngsters and their champions promise to exert an influence on the general council, and the committee on streets, is not the whole body by any manner of means. The session last night was not without interest and humor. One councilman got stung early in the proceedings. He assured the other members of the committee that the skating did not disturb him. "The reason is," quickly retorted one of the feminine lobby, "that you don't stay at home." The councilman subsided. On the south side there are two squares of concrete sidewalk along Fourth street and the children from that whole section congregate there. In the down-town section, there are whole blocks to skate around, and there are paved streets for the pedestrians to take to, when in danger, real or apprehended. Some day soon there will be more sidewalks south of Kentucky avenue and north of Jefferson street. Meanwhile, however, the ladies and the children will have it out before the general council. The situation is the most exciting since the town cow was banished.

WILSON WILL SPEAK.

Has Stated That He Will At-
tend Big Convention Here
Next Month.

Mr. Charles N. Wilson, president of the American Engineering company, of Indianapolis, Ind., will be present at the immigration convention and address the delegates and citizens on the subject of interurban lines, the value of same in developing the commercial interests of the community, and especially the importance and value of interurban lines to Paducah.

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THIEVES MAKE HAUL IN BOARDING CAR

Thieves broke into a boarding car in the Paducah Illinois Central south yards last night and stole \$32.35 in cash and an \$85 gold watch. The police are working on the case.

REAL RAFFLES CAPTURED.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 27.—William Schroeder, for many years prominent in church and social life in aristocratic Lakeview, was arrested today and confessed to robbing forty or more residences within the last few weeks. Diamonds, watches and other valuable to the value of thousands of dollars were found in his home and he admits having thrown away many diamonds and other valuables because he feared to dispose of them.

THREE FIRES IN ONE NIGHT

Keep Laddies Up From Mid-
night Until After Day-
break.

CARTRIDGES ARE EXPLODED

Two Hardware Stores, Two
Cottages, Church and Saw
Mill Badly Burned.

NEARLY SIXTY THOUSAND

LOSS OF A NIGHT.	556,250
Scott Hardware Co.	\$30,000
Henneberger & Co.	20,000
Building, 422 B'way	3,500
Col. Baptist Church	1,000
Two Cottages	1,000
Contents	500
Fooks-Acree Mill	250
Total	556,250

While firemen were fighting a blaze at 422 Broadway after midnight, which for a time threatened destruction to the whole business section, and stubbornly resisted all efforts to extinguish it, an alarm called two companies to Twelfth and Harrison streets, where a colored church and two residences were burning. Before this was over the Fooks-Acree mill, three miles out on the Pool road, was destroyed.

Three fires in one night, kept the entire fire department heroically at work from midnight until after day-break this morning, and caused damage amounting to \$56,250.

Fire entailing a loss of \$50,000 visited the building at 422 Broadway, occupied jointly by the Scott Hardware company, wholesale, and the L. W. Henneberger Hardware company, retail, this morning between 12 and 1 o'clock. The origin of the fire could not be determined. The excellent work of the firemen prevented its spread to other buildings. It was an exhibition of fire fighting eliciting commendations from all, especially from sufferers from the fire.

ALARMED PALMER HOUSE.

Four drummers rushed madly into the Palmer House at 12:30 o'clock crying "fire." Night Clerk Lawrence Rasor was in the act of spreading an alarm throughout the building when another person rushed in and announced that the fire was not in the hotel but across the street. Quickly an alarm was phoned to No. 7 station and switched to all stations. Companies No. 1 and 4 first responded. Fire was smoldering in the fourth floor.

The first two floors are occupied by the retail firm of L. W. Henneberger company, and the two upper floors by the Scott Hardware company. The aerial ladder was brought into play, but became fouled in the wires. Electrical Inspector McPherson cut electric wires, and the city was thrown into darkness to enable the firemen to fight without danger of electrocution.

THE SECOND FIRE.

Chief Wood, seeing that water pressure was inadequate, ordered out No. 2 fire engine. Later he called the No. 4 and 2 fire companies, but on arrival at the scene, a second alarm came from Twelfth and Harrison streets. The First Ward colored Baptist church was afire. Captain Jack Slaughter's No. 3 company was sent to the scene. The church a small frame, had burned to the ground on arrival, and two small houses were afire all over. A stream of water was successfully played on a third house, which was saved, excepting a portion of the roof.

Returning to the scene of the Broadway fire, the Nos. 2 and 3 companies found the entire fourth floor was a seething mass of flames. From a plug at Fourth street and Broadway the steamer was pumping

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S.S.S. PURIFIES THE BLOOD

There is no other part of our physical system upon which so much depends as upon the blood. The muscles, nerves, bones, sinews, skin, and other portions of the body are sustained, developed and enabled to perform their different duties, because they are supplied with nourishment and healthful properties through the circulation. In various ways the blood becomes contaminated and polluted. A sluggish, inactive condition of the system, and torpid state of the avenues of bodily waste, will leave the refuse and waste matter of the body to sour and form uric and other acids, which are absorbed into the blood and Rheumatism, or some itching, disfiguring skin disease is the result. Muddy, sallow complexions, eruptions, splotches, pimples, etc., all show that some humor has taken root in the circulation and rendered it sour and unfit for nourishing the body. There is scarcely any disease which cannot be traced to the blood. Often the disease-tainted blood of parents is handed down to children and their lives are a continual battle against disease in some form, usually of a scrofulous nature. Rheumatism, Catarrh, Skin Diseases, Sores and Ulcers, Contagious Blood Poison, etc., are all deep-seated blood troubles and until this vital fluid is purified they cannot be cured. For all blood diseases S. S. S. is the best remedy ever put upon the market. This great medicine is made of roots, herbs and barks of recognized blood-purifying and building-up properties. It goes down into the circulation and removes all poisons, impurities and humors, supplies the blood with the healthful properties it needs and completely cures blood diseases of every kind. S. S. S. cures Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scrofula, Skin Diseases, Sores and Ulcers, Contagious Blood Poison, etc., because it purifies the blood. Book on the blood and medical advice free.

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SOCIAL SESSION

NATIONAL PROTECTIVE LEGION ENTERTAINS PRESIDENT.

Woodmen Hall Scene of Pleasure and Profit Last Night—Interesting Discussions of Order.

One of the most enjoyable lodge functions ever held in the city was given by the National Protective Legion in Woodmen hall last night, in honor of National President George A. Scott, of Waycross, N. X. He delivered the principal address, and others who spoke were Mr. Rigley, Mr. Joseph Dusberger and Mr. J. Grant High. Excellent music and delightful refreshments were served. Mr. J. Grant High, district manager, has been transferred to Texas and Mr. W. M. Ross succeeds him in southwestern Kentucky.

A Touch of War.
General Lawton's division was marching back at El Paso, there to take up new position in the morning. General "Joe" Wheeler, in company with Major Creighton Webb, was standing at the edge of the road watching the troops file past. Just as dawn was breaking a colored regiment came in sight. It gave evidence of being unusually tired.

Lawton's attention had been at-

tracted to a corporal of the Twenty-fifth Infantry, a couple of guns and two cartridge belts, loaded full, was carrying a dog. The soldier to whom the other gun belonged was limping beside his comrade.

Lawton halted the men. "Here, corporal," he called to the six-foot negro, "haven't you marched all night?"

"Yes, sir," said the corporal, saluting.

"And fought all day?"

"Yes, sir."

"Then," asked the general, "why are you carrying a dog in addition to your other burdens?"

"General," said the negro, with a grin that showed every one of his thirty-two teeth, "the dog's tired!"

—Success.

The Only Time a Hansom Cab is Really a Handsome Cab.



A Pertinent Query.

"You are a millionaire," said Mr. Dustin Stax.

"I am," answered the young man with matrimonial intentions.

"Then it is needless to ask if you can support my daughter in the style to which she has been accustomed."

"I don't know," was the thoughtful rejoinder. "Does she play bridge whist?"

You can tell when a woman is interested in what you are saying by the way she pretends she isn't.

Many a man who looks wise can't make a living at it.

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Experienced Men and Women for positions requiring ability and tact—

People of All Ages, of all talents, of divers abilities, for suitable lines of employment—

Used Things—such as Pianos, Organs, Every Sort of Musical Instrument, Writing Machines, Cash Registers, Store and Office Fixtures, Talking Machines, Books, Engravings, Post-Cards, Stamp Collections, Rugs, Carpets, Furniture, of every kind—

Horses and Carriages, trucks, business wagons, bicycles, guns, cameras, fishing tackle, automobiles—

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Instruction in painting, singing, the violin and piano, short-hand, accounting, correspondence, language, dancing—

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These are some of the thousands of people and things that are "wanted" in this city just now, and if you can fill any of these "wants"

INQUIRE OF THE PUBLIC
Through a SUN Want Advertisement.

ALTON B. PARKER TO AMERICAN BAR

Addresses Himself to Subject of Federal Relations.

Sees Cause For Alarm in Encroachment on State Rights By Government.

THE NORTH CAROLINA AFFAIR

Portland, Me., Aug. 27.—The American Bar association will be in session here several days, hearing reports of committees and addresses by some of the leading jurists of the country. The opening address was made by Judge Alton B. Parker, president of the association who spoke in part as follows:

The recent claims for federal intervention in directions heretofore unheard of, are based upon the commerce and post road provisions of the constitution. As to the first, the constitution says the congress shall have power "to regulate commerce with foreign nations, and among the several states, and with the Indian tribes." Is it within the spirit and purpose of that provision that congress may control the manufactures and all other productive interests of the states, whether controlled by individuals, or corporations, the creations of the state? The answer of even a casual student of the constitution and the conditions surrounding its making, must be in the negative. Nor is authority lacking to support the proposition that production is not commerce (Kidd vs. Pearson, 128 U. S., 1). And it is authority to regulate interstate commerce, not production within a state, that the constitution confers upon congress. An attempt, therefore, to deny to the harmless and useful products of a state entry into interstate commerce would violate the letter and spirit of the constitution. Such a proposition, I believe, would not survive the test of constitutionality in the supreme court. But the result of even an attempt on the part of congress to seize the power of the states and deprive the mof so large a measure of control would be most unfortunate.

It is not my purpose to discuss the merits of the various claims for an increase of the federal power at the expense of the states. In the case of them as are favorably acted upon by congress, will have to pass the test of constitutionality before that greatest of all courts, the supreme court of the United States, and such statutes will stand or fall as they show, or fail to show, fidelity to the spirit and purpose of the constitution.

The attempts, however, on the part of the federal government to despoil the states of the powers and functions belonging to them, will not tend to smoothness in the working of our dual scheme of government. Already it has had its effect. The indignation of the governing forces of many of the states is already aroused. It is shown in the legislation of the year. It had not a little to do, in my judgment, with the recent conflict of judicial authority in North Carolina.

From many quarters for the past two years have come the iteration and reiteration of the necessity for the assumption of federal control, based in the main on the feebleness of neglect of the state governments. The tide of speech and writing, if not of public sentiment, has been so strong that only here and there could be found a person who would attempt to stand against it. When he was found, his motives were discredited. So, when a Judge in the performance of what he undoubtedly conceived to be his duty, restrained the operation of the legislation of a sovereign state, it seemed to some, doubtless, but the culmination of a series of assaults by the federal government upon state governments. And yet we know that, by the Fourteenth Amendment, the power has been conferred upon the courts of the United States to set aside state statutes, and state constitutions as well, if they deprive any person of life, liberty or property without due process of law.

It was the understanding, I dare say, of the great majority of the people who voted for it, that the purpose of the amendment was to protect the negro. But it was not so limited in terms, for, indeed, its language embraces every person. And while that amendment remains a part of the constitution, the federal courts have jurisdiction to pass upon the question whether a given statute does or does not violate the Fourteenth Amendment.

While this is so, it seems to me that courts, both federal and state, should always bear in mind that company which has thus far enabled the dual jurisdictions to work together so harmoniously for the public good.

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W. E. MCPHERSON, Druggist.

BASEBALL NEWS

National League.

At Boston—
R H E
Boston 1 19 0
Chicago 3 8 1
Batteries—Boulites and Brown; Brown and Kling.

Second game:
Boston 1 2 0
Chicago 4 7 3
Batteries—Flaherty and Needham; Pfeister and Kling.

At New York—
R H E
New York 5 5 0
Pittsburg 8 11 3
Batteries—Ames and Bresnahan; Leffeld and Smith.

Second game:
New York 2 3 3
Pittsburg 9 1 1
Batteries—Taylor and Bresnahan; Caminitz and Gibson.

At Philadelphia—
R H E
Philadelphia 4 8 4
Cincinnati 3 8 1
Batteries—Sparks and Doolin; Ewing and McLean.

American League.
At Detroit—
R H E
Detroit 7 10 3
Washington 4 7 1
Batteries—Siever and Erwin; John C. Smith, Kahoe and Block.

At Cleveland—
R H E
Cleveland 3 11 1
Boston 15 8 3
Batteries—Berger and Clarke; Glaze and Criger.

Sports of the Week.
Tuesday.

Trotting and pacing races begin at Toronto, Ont.

Great Western Circuit race meeting opens at Dubuque, Iowa.

Minnesota state golf tournament opens at St. Paul.

Wednesday.

Twenty-round fight between Mike Schreck and Al Kaufman at San Francisco.

Friday.

Fall meeting of the Coney Island Jockey club opens with the Futurity.

Central A. A. U. track and field championships at Chicago.

Tri-State tennis championships (Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky) at Cincinnati, O.

Opening of fall meeting of Montreal Jockey club at Montreal.

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South Barred From Presidency.

It is hard upon ambitious southern men, no doubt, that the highest office in the nation has appeared to be barred to them, remarks the Springfield (Mass.) Republican. For sixty years, or since the administration of James K. Polk, not counting the soldier, General Taylor, no southerner has been president.

"It is a weary role the Democracy of the south has been asked to play," writes "a national Democrat" in the North American Review, which is boozing the southern candidate idea, "to efface itself, always to defer to the judgment and to confirm the resolves of the Democrats of the north, to accept their candidates without question, to support them with devoted loyalty, and to follow them uncomplainingly to the defeat that, with two exceptions in 50 years, has been their doom."

The role seems the more unbearable, adds the San Francisco Argonaut, because the south is the backbone of Democratic strength in the electoral college and today furnishes substantially all of the representatives and senators that the Democratic party maintains in congress. Nor does the fact that there are many northern and western states which have not given sons to the presidency in 100 years, and today are barred by party necessities from aspiring to that high office, make the south's lot the less intolerable.

—Philadelphia Ledger.

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You Just Can't Afford to Miss It!

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SEPT. 16-21, 1907.

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Prize Waltz At Wallace Park

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Notice to Customers

All buzz fans to be rewound for the new current should be at our office, 406 Broadway, before September 1. A charge of \$4 each will be made for all fans sent in to be rewound after that date.

The Paducah Light & Power Co.

COMMON HOTBED

FURNISHES PRINCIPLE ON WHICH POWER IS EXTRACTED

Inventor of Concrete File For Skyscrapers Has Plan For Working the Sun.

Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 27.—By using the principle of the common hotbed by which farmers grow fresh vegetables in the dead of winter, Frank Shuman, engineer and chemist, thinks he has solved the old problem of converting the heat of the sun into power at such a low cost that its commercial use is possible. He has now running an engine that gets its power from the sun and it is so simple that a child can operate it. Shuman, who is the inventor of the concrete file used in all skyscrapers and the wire glass, says his machine will revolutionize the motive power of the world.

On the Shuman property in Tacony there is what looks like a big hotbed, 18x60 feet. It is simply a big wooden box sunk into the ground and covered with a double top of ordinary hothouse glass, with a one-inch air space between the layers.

Instead of being filled with vegetables, however, it is filled with coiled iron pipes. These pipes, which are filled with ether, connect with a small upright engine hard by.

Sun Does Work of Fuel.

The circuit is known as a "closed one," that is, the ether in the pipes is converted to vapor in the big box, passes through the engine, developing three and a half horse power, thence into a condenser, and back again to the hot box.

No fuel is used, the heat of the sun being relied upon to convert the liquid into vapor. In the tropic water could take the place of ether, Shuman says.

End of Mr. Jackson's Honeymoon.



Mrs. Jackson—Rastus, death, does yo' b'liebe in de survival ob de fittist? Mrs. Jackson—Suttinly, lover, suttinly. Mrs. Jackson—Wasn, den, yo' b'liebh git yo' life insured tomorrow.

Champion Lady Shaver.

The champion "lady shaver" of the world, as she was known in London, is dead. Miss Nellie Wick was only 21 years old, but as she had been a barber since she was 4 years old she had done almost a lifetime's work. Her father was known as the "Lightning barber," and taught his daughter the art of shaving almost as soon as her fingers were long enough to twine around the handle of a razor. Her record performance was the shaving of twenty-one men in as many minutes.—Chicago Daily News.

It's awfully hard to be grateful for a gift that doesn't please us.

Men who have no money to burn are apt to think it a burning shame.

THE WRONG DIAGNOSIS.

Prompt the Use of Worthless Remedies.

Even an experienced physician will sometimes make a mistake in diagnosis, in which event his entire treatment is wasted and may even be injurious to the patient.

The advocates of all other hair restoratives save Herpicide have wrongfully diagnosed the cause of Dandruff and Falling Hair.

They figure on a functional disease whereas it is now known and generally accepted that hair loss is due to a parasite, germ which Newbro's Herpicide destroys.

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Our National Appetite.

Washington, Aug. 27.—Startling evidence of the growing appetite of the American public for whisky and beer, tobacco, cigars, cigarettes and even snuff, is presented in the statement of the internal revenue bureau for the fiscal year that closed June 30. Prohibition and reform movements, to say nothing of New Year's resolutions, seem to be failing of their purpose. The country year by year drinks more liquor and smokes and chews more tobacco. Worse still, much of the smoking consists in the consumption of the cigarette.

The fiscal year just closed has broken all previous records in the amount of liquor and tobacco consumed. Besides, the public is using more oleomargarine, renovated butter, process butter, filled cheese and other "desirables."

The receipts of the internal revenue for the fiscal year that closed June 30 amounted to \$269,664,022, against \$249,102,738 for the preceding fiscal year. Large increases are shown in receipts for liquors or spirits, tobacco, fermented liquors, oleomargarine, adulterated butter and renovated butter.

But more impressive is the showing when it is considered what quantities of these various products were manufactured. Beer drinking has increased enormously. The amount of beer withdrawn for consumption, on which revenue was paid, was 58,546,111 barrels, or 3,894,474 barrels more than in the preceding fiscal year. Expressed in gallons, this is an increase of 116,833,220 gallons. It appears the country has consumed the enormous total of 1,814,929,441 gallons of beer in the last fiscal year. If the country has a population of 90,000,000 this means that in the twelve months ending June 30 there was drunk in the United States an average of more than twenty gallons of beer to every man, woman and child. This seems a high average, but the internal revenue officials say it was a poor year for beer drinking, the cold, wet spring driving folks to strong drink and hurting the beer traffic.

The consumption of whisky in the fiscal year ending June 30 was 134,427,044 gallons, or an increase of 11,409,252 gallons over the preceding fiscal year. There was an increase also in spirits made from apples and other fruits, the consumption being 1,992,688 gallons, against

and smoked 369,186,303 pounds of tobacco, an increase of 14,270,804 pounds.

In cigarettes the consumption increased heavily, the entire number smoked in the fiscal year ending June 30 being so high that it is small wonder the tobacco trust has thrived. It amounted to 5,151,862,130, an increase of 1,368,595,917. As to snuff, there was an increased consumption of 693,658 pounds.

Oleomargarine shows increased consumption of 15,842,191 pounds, the total consumption being 68,988,850 pounds, and there were marked increases in the consumption of renovated butter, process butter and adulterated butter.

Old Jobs of Gravity.

"The effects of gravitation are so familiar as to demand only the briefest mention; yet most of us, perhaps, seldom stop to consider how far-reaching these effects are," says Dr. Henry Smith Williams. "But for gravitation, the winds would not blow, the waters would not descend and the mountains would not crumble into the valleys. Each particle of pulverized rock would remain where it was formed, and there would be no such thing as a mixed soil."

"But as matters are actually arranged, gravitation is perpetually active, and every particle of matter is being eternally tugged at and urged to get nearer to the earth's center. So no sooner does a fragment of rock at a mountain crest become loosened than gravitation hurls it crashing down into the valley, shattering it into fragments, perhaps, or at the least grinding off some portions of its surface, as well as of the surface of the rocks against which it is dashed."

"By such means and with the further aid of its handmaidens wind and water, gravitation works its unceasing purpose of leveling the surface of the earth. In a few brief geological moments it rounds the shoulders of the haughtiest mountain; and, given time enough, it will bring every particle of rock back to the sea bed whence it originally sprang."

Short of that, as a transition stage, it is forever mixing the different soil constituents on the one hand and sorting them out again on the other."—Appleton's Magazine.

DR. JAMES
HEAD-ACHE
POWDERS
CURE
Georgia Watermelons.

Georgia has become a prohibition state. Score one for the watermelon. By its fruit ye shall know it.—New York Herald.

All men, may be Hars, but all men don't get found out by any means.

People who take things easy, often end by taking less than their share.

MURDER PROGRAM

PREPARED BY ANARCHISTS IS EXTENDED ONE.

Drawing of Lots for Honor of Assassinating Victims Will Be Made.

Amsterdam, Aug. 27.—Every country of Europe has sent some of its most efficient secret police to Amsterdam to keep an eye on the anarchists who gather here this week for their international congress. Though just that concerns the congress has been kept a close secret enough has leaked out of the program to cause the various governments and the heads of state to sit up and take notice.

The promotion of anarchism among civilized nations is the announced purpose of the congress. Incidentally, it is said, the congress will hold a drawing to determine by lot who shall have the "honor" of assassinating those whose death has been decided. A provisional list of those to be executed is said to have been drawn up already, which embraces the names of the czar of Russia, the emperor of Germany and the kings of Italy and Belgium.

"Is Mrs. Wise at home?" inquired Mrs. Chatters, standing in the shadow of the doorway. "I don't know, ma'am," replied the servant. "I can't tell till I git a better look at ye. If ye've a wart on the side o' yer nose, ma'am, she ain't."—Philadelphia Press.

Any man can find work if he will go to work and look for it.

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CIRCULATION STATEMENT.

July, 1907.

1.....	3920	17.....	3903
2.....	3895	18.....	3906
3.....	3895	19.....	3914
4.....	3906	20.....	3923
5.....	3914	22.....	3929
6.....	3999	23.....	3923
7.....	3994	24.....	3930
8.....	3990	25.....	3919
9.....	3878	26.....	3930
10.....	3925	27.....	3938
11.....	3918	29.....	3905
12.....	3911	30.....	3899
13.....	3900	31.....	3833
Total	101,923		
July average.....	3,920		

Personally appeared before me, this August 2, 1907, E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of July, 1907, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,

Notary Public.

My commission expires January 22, 1908.

Daily Thought.

"Love makes the heaviest lover seem light."

THE REPUBLICAN TICKET.
For Governor—Augustus E. Wilson, of Louisville.
For Lieutenant Governor—W. H. Cox, of Mason county.
For Attorney General—James Breathitt, of Christian county.
For Auditor—Frank P. James, of Mercer county.
For Treasurer—Capt. Edwin Farley, of McCracken county.
For Secretary of State—Dr. Ben L. Bruner, of Hart county.
For Superintendent of Public Instruction—J. S. Crabbe, of Boyd county.

For Commissioner of Agriculture—N. C. Rankin, of Henry county.

For Clerk of Court of Appeals—Napier Adams, of Pulaski county.

For Legislature—George O. McBroom.

Mayor James P. Smith
City Attorney Arthur Y. Martin
City Treasurer John J. Dorian
City Clerk George Lehnhardt
City Jailer George Andrecht
City Tax Assessor Harlan Griffith
Aldermen—T. C. Leech, Harry R. Hank, G. M. Oehlschlaeger, Jr., C. H. Chamblin, W. T. Miller.

Councilmen—Second ward, Al E. Young; Third ward, C. L. Van Meter; Fourth ward, F. S. Johnston; Fifth ward, S. A. Hill, Frank Meyer; Sixth ward, W. L. Bower.

School Trustees—First ward, W. M. Barnes; Second ward, W. J. Hill; Third ward, H. S. Wells and J. H. Garrison; Fourth ward, Dr. C. G. Warner and C. G. Keddy; Fifth ward, L. O. Walker; Sixth ward, J. C. Farley and Ed Morris.

Telegraph strikers feel encouraged and the companies are not disturbed by the situation. The public, however, does not enjoy the sentiment of either side.

BRYAN DOESN'T

LIKE TAFT TALK

Disappointed With Conservatism of Secretary.

Especially Because Secretary is Protectionist in Principle and Policy.

HE CALLS TAFT A STRADDLER

Fulton has a Stocking club. The winners of the first two prizes receive silk stockings. The others take brick ice cream and angel food for theirs. If they play bridge whilst the way it generally is played, one or two of those girls are going to have lots of silk hose, and the rest of them will be comfortably full of ice cream and angel food before the club wanes.

We presume that German vessel captured by the French off Morocco was a schooner.

DIGESTION AND THE PRESIDENCY.

William Taft must have a good digestion. This is an important qualification for the chief magistracy. Not that he must necessarily be proof against rich and unwholesome food, for our Democratic institutions permit of our executive living on bread and milk, if he desires; but think of the dire calamity of having a dyspeptic president. Pessimism would be the national policy. Cabinet crises would be the refrain of all Washington correspondence. The story of our foreign relations, under such an administration would look like a fever chart in a hospital, as our influence rose and fell in response to the presidential digestion.

We know that Taft's digestion is good, because optimism is the dominant note of his utterances. He says our war with Spain was the most altruistic national enterprise of arms ever undertaken. He sees in the perplexing problems of our colonial system (And bear in mind, the burden has rested chiefly on his broad shoulders) but a providential interposition to keep us broad-gaged, when the tendency is to narrowness and selfishness. He says in the main in our dealings with the colonies, we have been true to tradition and our ideals. He believes the south can solve the race question, and do it without trouble. He believes we are better than our forefathers and growing better; and he sees in the frequent sporadic ebullitions of the social world, but indications of a deep movement, that has in it the elements of world progress.

Courage and optimism and frankness are here displayed.

Opposition of the Louisville machine to the state machine's slate in the Democratic municipal primary means that the exposure of the Democratic rule in Louisville will be complete before the election, and that the retaliation of the city machine will put the Democratic state ticket in jeopardy.

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SHIRT REDUCTIONS

At the New Store

NEGIGEE and out-going shirts have now been added to the avalanche of super-values which the New Store is offering during their great Semi-Annual Clearance Sale. And they're beauties, too—there is a refinement about the patterns and a smartness of cut which is not found in the ordinary run. Here are the prices, for cash:

\$1.50 Negligee Shirts \$1.20
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the tariff is a farce and a fraud and the secretary runs away from the conclusions which would naturally be drawn from the statistics which he presents."

IN THE COURTS

In Bankruptcy.

Referee in Bankruptcy E. W. Bagby this morning ordered Trustee John Rock, in the Paducah Furniture Manufacturing company case, to turn over to Crice & Ross, 75, costs and expenses entailed in filing a petition forcing the firm into bankruptcy in Louisville.

Police Court.

Frank Crane, drunk and disorderly, \$5 and costs; E. D. Hood, breach of peace, continued; Nannie Smith, colored, breach of peace, \$5 and costs; Levi Rough, colored, petit larceny, continued; John Robinson, colored drunkenness, \$1 and costs.

BUSINESS MEN OF NATION
NO FEAR OF HARD TIMES.

New York, Aug. 27.—Are conditions such throughout the country that hard times are coming?

The World has asked this question of merchants, bankers, manufacturers, capitalists and farmers in every section of the United States, and the answers show a wide divergence of opinion. In the financial centers of the east a contraction in business is generally conceded. That it will lead to hard times is not believed. General manufacturing, however, even in the east, is reported to be enjoying high prosperity, the textile industry being especially favored.

In the west the reports show that commerce is still going on at high pressure. Counting on fairly good crops, the fear of hard times is generally scouted. In the northwest prosperity is relied on to continue.

The south also reports conditions looking to a continuance of good times.

Hague "Debt Plan" Amended.

The Hague, Aug. 27.—The American proposition concerning the collection of contractual debts is ready for submission to the examination committee of the peace conference, General Horace Porter having introduced the desired changes, including those recommended by the Latin-American states. Dr. Luis Drago (Argentina) is receiving congratulations on the proposition, for it is believed that it will now more closely resemble the Drago doctrine.

"He recognizes that 'restraining is more difficult' when one corporation swallows up a lot of other corporations—that it involves enormous labor on the part of the government to prosecute such a combination because the proof of the gist of the offense lies underneath an almost limitless variety of transaction' and yet he is opposed to the license system which would enable the government to absolutely prevent a monopoly. In other words, he gives the benefit of the doubt to the corporation instead of to the people.

\$146,746,964 in Cuban Trade.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 27.—Trade of the United States with Cuba in the fiscal year just ended aggregated almost \$150,000,000. The value of the imports from Cuba in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1907, was \$97,441,690, and of the exports thereto, \$49,305,274.

In both imports and exports the trade with Cuba in 1907 exceeded that of any previous year. The largest imports from the island in any previous year were those of 1905, when they aggregated a little over \$86,000,000.

The largest exports to the island prior to 1907 were those of 1906, when they aggregated \$47,750,000.

Bars Ceremony at Own Burial.

Ottumwa, Ia., Aug. 27.—In a rough coffin made of lumber which he had kept for years for the purpose, and with no service whatever, the body of Levi Orman was borne to the grave today, not in a hearse, but in an ordinary wagon—all in keeping with the wishes of the eccentric old man.

He makes out a strong case in favor of tariff reform, but when he gets to the remedy he goes no farther than the Republican leaders have gone in former campaigns. He wants enough tariff to cover the difference in cost of labor here and abroad, the excuse given for the present tariff, and he wants the tariff reformed by his friends.

"Tariff reform by the friends of

the Hague 'Debt Plan' Amended.

The third fire was gotten under control, and at 6:30 o'clock fire companies left, having extinguished the last spark.

Fooks-Acre Mill.

The third fire occurred while the firemen were busy with the Broadway blaze. It was the saw mill of the Fooks-Acre Lumber company.

SOUND LOGIC.

August and September are two months when one has to be very careful about every condition that makes for good, or bad health. The system is usually beginning to feel the strain of the hot summer months and the different organs need but very little to throw them into complete disorder and result in probably a fatal illness.

Good health is assured however if you heed nature's gentle warnings, and are in any measure discreet.

The usual summer disorders—malaria, general worn-out, and rundown, conditions, biliousness, stomach and bowel disorders of all kinds, chronic or acute headaches yield readily, and very quickly, to the Osteopathic treatment, and have no attending ill effects. Usually you are as ill from the customary medical prescriptions as from the illness, but, in Osteopathy you experience none of this. Let me tell you at any time of the great success I am having with the treatment in Paducah. I shall refer to you people you know well for the evidence, and who will tell you just what it has done for them.

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LOCAL NEWS

—Fire tonight at 8 o'clock, Third and Broadway.

—For Dr. Pendley ring 416.

—Dr. Hoyer residence phone 464; office 175.

—Dr. Gilbert, osteopath, 4004 Broadway. Phone 196.

—City subscribers to the Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our collectors or make the requests direct to The Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to carriers. Sun Publishing Co.

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—Something doing tonight Third and Broadway at 8 o'clock.

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—Farley & Fisher, veterinarians, 427 S. Third. Old phone 1345; new phone 351.

—Have The Sun mailed to you or any of your friends going away for the summer. The address will be changed as often as desired, and the rate is only 25¢ a month.

—Fire tonight at 8 o'clock, Third and Broadway.

—A special meeting of the board of public works has been called for this afternoon. Members of the board have been away for two or three weeks, and there is a great deal of business to transact.

—Hotel Belvedere Cafe, John Burns, steward. Soft shell crabs, frogs and all the seasonable delicacies.

—Gasoline boats for outing parties and hunting trips, furnished with licensed operator by Motor Boat Garage Co. Old phone 1113.

—Perpetual green lawn grass seed just receiver. Branson's, 529 Broadway.

—James Ingram, a blind man, arrived in Paducah yesterday with a small son and daughter, and began a house to house begging canvas. He was seen by Humane Officer Jap Toner, who is also secretary of the Charity club, and informed that professional begging is prohibited in Paducah. He promised to leave for Louisville at once.

—Something doing tonight Third and Broadway at 8 o'clock.

—Dr. J. W. T. Patterson, of 455 North Twelfth street, announces that in future he may be reached by new phones 661 or 1500 instead of old phones 1161-m or 2099.

—Place your orders for wedding invitations at home. The Sun is showing as great an assortment as you will find anywhere, at prices much lower than you will have to pay elsewhere.

—See fire extinguished Third and Broadway tonight, 8 o'clock.

—Miss Bessie Theobold, the popular checker at the Illinois Central depot lunch stand, won a prize at last night's dance at Wallace park for graceful dancing. It was a fine silk parasol. Mr. Frank Elliott was her partner.

—The contest for the Goddess of Labor, which is being conducted by the Hodcarriers' union, colored, and which closes tomorrow night, stands as follows: Bessie Stone, 106; Neptune Newbern, 94; Little Mae Boyd, 10; Lorena Hale, 6; Bertie Williams, 8.

—Best and cheapest. We rent buggies, carriages and horses separately. Both phones 100. Copeland's Stable 419 Jefferson street.

—The Christian Endeavor Society of the Kentucky Avenue Presbyterian church will give a lawn social tonight on the lawn of Mrs. Eubanks, Sixth and Washington streets. Music and refreshments.

—Miss Bessie Smedley, of South Fourth street, has a genuine homely toad frog sent her from Texas, where she spent several weeks this summer.

—When a man is glad to be bald-headed it was red.

PEOPLE AND SOCIAL EVENTS

Picnic at Almo.

Mrs. James P. Sleeth and Mrs. Frank Coburn left this morning with a party of young ladies for Almo, a few miles south of Paducah on the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railroad to enjoy a picnic. Miss Grace Hills gave the picnic.

Sunday School Convention.

Many Paducahans are attending the state Sunday school convention at Madisonville, and following is a partial list of those who left this morning: Miss Oiga List, Miss Rosa Kobl, the Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Bourquin, William and Katherine Rock, Mrs. W. Y. Griffith and daughter, Miss Isabella Griffith, Miss Lettie Smith and Mrs. G. Miles.

After Thirty Years.

After 30 years' separation, three sisters, Mrs. Champ Oliver, of Sikeson, Mo.; Mrs. J. W. Stewart, of Murray, and Mrs. Mack Milstead, of Princeton, met at the home of their brother, J. H. Cochran, 200 Hayes avenue, Mechanicsburg, Sunday and dined together.

Pretty Party.

Complimentary to Miss Virginia Bush and Miss Elane Evans, of Smithland, Miss Madeline Cook entertained last night at her home, 420 South Sixth street, with a pretty party. Covers were laid for twelve, and the evening was pleasantly spent with games and music. A patriotic idea was carried out in the color scheme, red, white and blue, and each guest received a small United States flag as a souvenir. Ices were served during the evening by the hostess. In attendance were: Misses Virginia Bush, Elane Evans and Gladys Dunn, of Smithland; Joe Miller, Orr Pryor, Madeline Cook and Masters Harry Johnston, John Thompson, Lorenzo Garner, Herndon Lackey, Phillip Ballei and Harry Dunn, of Smithland.

Invitations Received.

Invitations were received in the city today announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Kathryn Savage and Mr. Thomas Lester Baker, September 9. The ceremony will take place in the morning at 7 o'clock in the church of the Mediator, Meridian, Miss. Mr. Baker was foreman of the composing rooms of the Evening Sun until several years ago, and is a popular and energetic young man. For some time he has been foreman on the Meridian Dispatch and is a progressive newspaper man. Miss Savage is a charming young woman of her home town.

Howell-Bishop.

Miss Fannie Howell and Mr. Will Bishop surprised their friends last night by being quietly married by the Rev. W. T. Bolling, at his home on North Seventh street. They were married at 8 o'clock. The bride is a popular young woman of the south side, and the groom is a well known river man. Mr. and Mrs. Bishop will make their home in this city.

Attorneys A. Y. Martin and E. W. Bagby have returned from Wickliffe, where they have been on business.

Mr. Stewart Dick, city assessor, is reported better today at the residence of Mr. Robert Noble, 1666 Broadway. Mr. Dick has been ill of malarial fever for five weeks.

Mrs. Caldwell has returned from a week's visit to Carbondale.

Miss Mabel Russell, of 1133 North Fourteenth street, has gone to Mayfield for a few weeks' visit.

Mr. H. E. Seaton, of Keokuk, will return tomorrow from Union City, Tenn., where he has been on his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ava Rudd, have returned from a visit to Dr. and Mrs. R. Holt, of Ragland.

Attorney Sam Crossland, of Mayfield, is in the city today.

Miss Verdia Wyman, of Lowes, ar-

rived today from Mayfield and is the guest of her sister, Mrs. I. C. Young, of Lone Oak.

Mr. Black Stafford has returned after visiting Dr. and Mrs. R. Holt, of Ragland.

Mr. D. B. Ogilvie and family, of Nashville, are visiting the family of Mr. Hume Ogilvie.

Mr. Fred Flanagan, the well known Illinois Central machinist, is ill.

Misses Emma and Sadie Masserman, of the Mayfield road, are visiting their sister, Mrs. J. P. Wooldridge, 1827 Guthrie avenue.

Mrs. Joe Lambert has returned home after a visit in Dawson Springs.

J. L. Scott, of Waverly, N. Y., president of the National Protective Legion, is in the city on business. He addressed members of the local legion last night. He will go south from Paducah.

Mrs. J. O. Lee, and two sons, of Montgomery, Ala., are visiting Mrs. Lee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wright, of North Fourth street.

Dr. C. O. Robertson, of Palmetto, Fla., has returned home after visiting his aunt, Mrs. P. V. Austin, of North Thirteenth street.

Mrs. J. L. Eeley and daughter, of Bardwell, are visiting Mrs. Eeley's sister, Mrs. T. B. Lyle, of South Fifth street.

Mrs. Mary L. Kidd has returned from a visit in Nashville and Hopkinsville.

Mr. Chy Leigh has returned from a two weeks' visit in Chicago.

Mrs. J. C. Cuttler, 1201 Monroe street, left today for Louisville on a visit to her mother.

Miss May Milburn, 617 Fountain avenue, has returned from Folsomdale, where she visited relatives.

Mrs. Herbert Householder and children, 1533 Trimble street, have returned home from a visit to relatives at Paris, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Thomas have returned from a trip through the east.

Mrs. Frank D. Rodfus and son, Werten, left today for Chicago and Milwaukee.

Mrs. E. B. West, of South Ninth street, has returned from a visit to Mount City, Ill.

Miss Viola Frankland, of Jackson, Tenn., is the guest of Mrs. Finis Brown, of Trimble street.

Mr. J. Walter Halley arrived last night from Monroe, La., on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Halley, 907 Harrison street.

Mr. William Eades and daughter, Eloise, left today for Central City on a ten days' visit.

Mr. Jacob B. Pollock left this morning for Cairo, where he will open a retail jewelry store.

Mr. Will Block, of 2040 Broad street, who was sealed several weeks ago on an Illinois Central engine, is resting comfortably at his home. The doctor feared the scalds might develop into blood poison.

Mrs. Kate White, who has been spending the summer with her brother, Mr. Herbert White, at Los Angeles, Cal., is now visiting in Marshall, Mo.

Mr. J. F. Reese, the popular contracting agent for the Hagenbeck-Wallace shows, is in the city arranging for the coming of the shows, September 16.

Mrs. E. C. Flegle and little daughter Nell, or Arlington, are visiting Mrs. Silas Flegle, of North Sixth street.

Miss Laura Sned returned to Louisville after a two weeks' visit to relatives and friends in the city.

Mrs. Charles W. Fisher left today for Louisville on a visit to her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kremer.

Mrs. Henry Hemmeler, of Louisville, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. Will Fisher, 501 South Sixth street, returned to her home today.

Miss Matt Schupp, who has been visiting Mrs. James T. Leake, turned to her home in Louisville to day.

Mrs. Caldwell has returned from a week's visit to Carbondale.

Miss Mabel Russell, of 1133 North Fourteenth street, has gone to Mayfield for a few weeks' visit.

Mr. Frank Wahl went to Madisonville today to attend the state Sunday school convention as a county delegate.

Mr. J. W. Morris went to Princeton today on a business trip.

Miss May Fowler returned from Mayfield this morning, where she has been visiting.

Mrs. G. M. Tagg and little daughter Minnie, 1027 Jefferson street, went to Dawson Springs today. After a several days' stay they will go to Louisville on a visit to friends.

The Rev. George Farley went to Madisonville today to attend the state Sunday school convention as a representative of the Tenth Street Christian church.

Messrs. Henry Settles and Charles Bilskey, of Clarksville, Tenn., are in the city on business.

Miss Corrine Moss, of Clarksville, Tenn., is visiting in Paducah.

Patrolman Aaron Hurley, who has been laying off two days on account of the heat, is back on duty.

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H.C. Hollins

Today's Story--"The Go-Between"

[Original.]

If the fool killer comes this way he'll sure enough give me an invite to put my head on the log where I kill the chickens. I've not only made a blunder, but a double blunder, in tryin' to help two people at once. There was Charlie Barnes mepin' around, plain, because he had no one to help him run his farm, no companion or nothin', and there was Susan Nutter with a stepmother and unhappy at home. I thought they'd do well to marry, so I butted in and arranged the matter between 'em. I had no interest in it; I only consented to be a go-between out o' the kindness o' my heart. I'm an old maid myself and wouldn't marry the best man on earth. I hasn't got no call to marry. I got my own house and ground all paid for and \$50 a month from bond and mortgage besides. So I'm out of the matrimonial question. But I'm not the only one in the world to be considered. Mebbe what'd kill me might cure others.

Thinkin' that-a-way, I told Charlie about Susan and Susan about Charlie. I praised Charlie to Susan, and this together with the hard time she was havin' at home, made her powerful anxious to git him. But somehow or 'nother she got the idea that if he seen her he wouldn't have her, so she told me I could tell him if he'd take her entirely on my recommend it 'ud be a go. Charlie he thought if she seen what an ungrateful feller he was the wouldn't have him neither, so he consented. I didn't see no harm in this, for Susan was pretty as a peach, and Charlie was as fine a-lookin' feller as ever tilled a plow.

The mornin' o' the weddin' I helped Susan to git on a white muslin dress and when the other fixin's was all on she looked lovely. The clock struck the hour for the weddin', the house was chuck full o' the neighbors—I furnished the cake and things—and up drives Charlie in his two horse wagon, with a suit of new store clothes on, lookin' fine and manly. I met him at the door and tak' him in to the settin' room, where Susan was a-sittin' waitin'. Susan blushed a little, and I seen a mighty pleased look come over Charlie's face. But there wasn't no time to git acquainted, for the parson stepped in, and before they knew it they was married. Then, after the snack set in the dinin' room, Charlie tak' his wife out to the wagon and driv' off, followed by the usual shower o' rice and old slippers.

Reckon you'll say there wan't nothin' foolish about this, and I don't know as there would 'a' been if it could 'a' been done without a go-between. Y' see there's a natural course such things have to run, just like measles. A wrong treatment o' measles is apt to drive 'em in. In Charlie's and Susan's case the courtin' and the gitlin' used to workin' in matrimonial harness was thrown out to 'em all to one. If the courtin' had been done in its proper time, the new harness wouldn't 'a' been so hard to get used to. As it was they both o' 'em kicked the traces.

It wasn't three days after the weddin' when Susan she come to me all a-fire, and she says, says she, "Miss Shaw, what'd you git me up to sick a man at that for?" "What's the trouble?" says I. "He never speaks to me at breakfast no more'n if I'd come in for hired help." "I don't know nothin'

CAUSE OF SKIN DISEASE.

This is Little Understood, But Scientists Say That the Cause for Eczema Has at Last Been Found.

The cause of such diseases as psoriasis and eczema is little understood. Even physicians still wrangle over it, and some doctors who rank high in their profession have made but little study of these peculiar ailments. The most prominent specialists of Germany and France, however, as well as many leading physicians of this country are now willing to recognize the correctness of the theory of the eminent skin specialist, Dr. D. D. Dennis. The skin is curable through the skin alone, and where the patient suffers from no other ailment it is nonsense to dose the stomach.

External treatment with the proper vegetable compounds offers the only cure for eczema. Wonderful reports are coming in from all over the country of the infallibility of the prescription of Dr. Dennis, known as the D. D. Prescription. Here is a case: James S. Erskine, of Niagara Falls, N. Y., writes as follows:

"D. D. D. Remedy has done me more good than any other remedy I ever used in all my life time. Have suffered since I was a very young babe. My folks can tell you the long suffering and agony of that awful eczema trouble. It began, I believe, in my head, until it scattered all over my body. Doctored and doctored until I had a feeling of discouragement in every form."

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How easy it is to be liberal with other people's money!

BY WIRELESS

CANADA AND IRELAND WILL BE IN COMMUNICATION.

Marconi System To Be Introduced and Commercial Line Established.

London, Aug. 27.—Some time next month an official of Marconi's Wireless Telegraph company, says the company will be ready to accept and transmit wireless messages as a commercial service between Ireland and Canada.

"The Irish station at Clifden," said the official, "is now finished and working satisfactorily to Canada. All we are now waiting for is the completion of the Canadian station at Glace bay. Our contract with the Canadian government provides that we shall not charge more than 10 cents a word, exclusive of land charges, for ordinary messages, and not more

than 5 cents a word, exclusive of land charges, for press messages.

Have Plenty of Power.

"At Clifden we really have more power than we need, and as the Glace bay station will be of equal power, there is no doubt that the service will be a reliable one. Mr. Marconi has left for Canada to superintend the final arrangements, and he will be at Glace bay when the service is inaugurated. Directly the Canadian service is started, we shall proceed to increase the power of our station at Cape Cod, Mass., and when that work is completed wireless communication will be opened up with Poldhu, our Cornish station.

Will Add Land Rates.

"The latter station is already sufficiently powerful to communicate with Cape Cod and also with Glace bay. The cable rate between London and Quebec, Ontario, New York, Boston, and other parts in eastern North America, is 25 cents per word. To the 10 cent rate between Clifden and Glace bay for wireless messages, will be added, of course, the cost of the land message between, say, London and Clifden, and on the American side between Glace bay and, say, Quebec or Boston."

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Difficult Census Taking.

The country for the last few days has been going through a series of questions and answers. It is the period of the decennial census. At home the taking of the census is a comparatively easy matter. Every householder has his or her sheet to fill up on a certain night and the collector fetches it on his rounds, and there the matter ends. But in Egypt there are insuperable difficulties in the way of such simple methods.

To begin with, as the illiterate class is large, it is manifestly impossible to get the forms filled in. So the government has had to nominate an army of inspectors, who have been going from house to house and have powers to penetrate to the inner apartments in order to obtain full details.

Of course in a number of cases the natives, not understanding the cause, resent this intrusion, and some of the incidents have been most awkward. Moreover, very few of the fallahs really know their ages, their idea of time being fixed by events. Thus one man's reply to the question was that he was a boy working in his father's field when Alexandria was bombed, and another that he remembered seeing the "maika transawiya," evidently the Empress Eugenie, at the opening of the

Suez canal.

On the other hand, the women, unlike their western sisters, do not consider age a thing to be ashamed of, and unblushingly admit, in some cases, quite ten years more than possibly is their age. The harem have been another obstacle to the completeness of the census, and in many instances the inspectors have had warm quarters of an hour with the sly and unwilling eunuchs who guard portions of the easterner's domicile.—Cairo Correspondence Park Mall Gazette.

King in Colors.

Men's dress has never in recorded sartorial history been so dull and uninteresting as it became during the nineteenth century. King Edward has made tentative efforts to enlarge masculine freedom in this respect: the soft felt hat, tan boots, evening trousers with a stripe of braid down the sides, and loose dinner jackets all owe their introduction to the royal arbiter of men's fashions; and at the Windsor garden party the color in the king's dress was remarked—a dark but rich blue overcoat, a pink shirt and a heliotrope tie.

Again, at the last ball given to meet their majesties at Devonshire House, many of the gentlemen guests were privately requested to appear in knee breeches by the king's desire.—Illustrated London News.

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THURSDAY, AUG. 29, 1907
30-PIECE MILITARY BAND-30

A consolidation of the Paducah Military Band and the Metropolis Concert Band

The Metropolis band in recent years has won first prizes in numerous band contests in Southern Illinois, and includes in its membership some of the best musicians in the state. The Paducah Military Band during the last month has been rehearsing two and three times a week—in preparation for the Fall Horse Show; is therefore in better condition than at any time this season, and the union of the two bands promises the music lovers the real

Musical Event of the Season.

RIVER NEWS

River Report.			
Cairo	20.9	0.1	fall
Chattanooga	3.9	0.1	rise
Cincinnati	20.8	0.7	rise
Evansville	8.8	0.3	rise
Louisville	7.1	1.7	rise
Mt. Carmel	4.0	0.1	rise
Nashville	7.4	0.1	fall
Pittsburg	5.3	2.2	fall
St. Louis	16.8	0.1	fall
Mt. Vernon	8.3	0.5	rise
Paducah	8.3	0.1	st'd

The river is on another stand, and the prospects are that it will remain about the present stage for several days. This morning the stage was 8.5. Weather cloudy and business rather quiet about the wharf.

The Dick Fowler pulled out on time this morning for Cairo. Several passengers were late in getting down the hill and the Fowler was several feet from the wharfboat when several farmers jumped aboard. Much amusement was caused about the wharf. Yesterday was one of the biggest days in freight for the Fowler in many days. Every little landing contributed a cargo.

The John S. Hopkins was the Evansville packet today, and she had good business both ways.

The Eisenhardt-Henderson show boat was at the wharf today and will show here tonight.

The Clyde arrived today from the Tennessee river with a big trip. The Clyde will take the remainder of the old saw mill up the Tennessee river this trip.

The Martha A. Hennen was taken out on the dry docks this morning for repairs. The Hennen is in good condition and will not need much attention.

The Jim Duffy left today for the Tennessee river for the Ayer & Lord Tie company after a load of ties.

The Bettie Owen brought over the usual big load of hay this morning. Rivermen conjecture where all the hay comes from and where it all goes. Every morning the ferry is crowded on the lower deck with hay wagons.

The Royal arrived today from Golconda with a good freight and passenger trip.

The J. B. Richardson gave a colored excursion last night down the river. Today at noon the Richardson left for Shawneetown to carry excursions during the fair. Next Monday the Richardson will be taken out on the docks.

Boats were moving in a hurry this morning at the north end of the wharf, preparing a place for the show boat. This is a favorite place for the boats to store, but everything had to keep away today.

The Cowling made the usual trips

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BAND CONCERT

WILL BE GIVEN AT WALLACE PARK THURSDAY NIGHT.

Deal's Band and Metropolis Band Will Unite for the Occasion.

Thursday night at Wallace park one of the biggest musical treats will be afforded Paducahans of the season when Deal's band and the Metropolis band will be united and give a fine program. Prof. Deal went to Metropolis this morning to rehearse the band. Thirty musicians will be in the band, and all are good ones. The concert will begin at 8:15 o'clock.

Under direction of William Deal.

Part I.
March—"Caesar's Triumphal"—Alexander.

Overture—"Bohemian Girl"—Balfe.

Waltz—"Daughter of Love"—Bennett.

Medley of popular songs—"Strains from Stern's."

Descriptive Piece—"A Hunting Scene"—Bucalossi.

Part II.
March—"Crimson Flush"—Jewell.

Selection—"The Spring Chicken"—Carle.

Waltz—"Angel's Dream"—Hermann.

Medley of popular songs—"Renick's Hits."

"Plantation Scenes"—A collection of southern melodies.

WELLMAN POLAR TRIP DELAYED

Tourists Report That Airship Did Not Sail on August 23.

London, Aug. 27.—The Hammerfest correspondent of the Daily Mail says Walter Wellman did not start from his camp at Spitzbergen for the north pole in his airship on August 23, as he hoped to do.

The last two tourist steamers of the year arrived at the camp at Virgo bay on August 25. They saw the balloon high in the air, confined by anchor ropes. Mr. Wellman said he was not able to start, as the breeze was wrong. He could start in a southeast wind. The tourists banqueted Mr. Wellman and his companions. Mr. Wellman said to them:

"If I am lucky you will hear from me and the north pole in a week. If I am less lucky, in a fortnight. If you do not hear from me in three weeks you will never hear from me at all."

The steamers left twenty-four hours later. It was then remarked that the balloon seemed gradually being deflated. They passed Virgo bay for the last time on August 23 and no start had been made, although the weather was calm and bright. The passengers doubt if Wellman will or can start this year.

MR. POLLOCK RESIGNS.

Business Takes Him to Cairo, But

M. W. A. Plans Progress.

At the meeting of the board of directors of the Modern Woodmen of America held last night Jacob B. Pollock tendered his resignation as chairman of the committee having in charge the interstate meeting for September 12. It was with regret the resignation was accepted. R. L. Eley was elected to succeed Mr. Pollock. Although Mr. Pollock has resigned his interest in the meeting remains steadfast, as he is going to Cairo and there arouse the lodge to send big delegation here and work up interest for Cairo to secure the next meeting. A visit to the lodges in Missouri will be made this week by Mr. Pollock.

Last week he visited several of the towns and many in Illinois and all promise to send representatives. Every preparation for the big day is approaching readiness for the entertainment.

RUSSIAN PLOT NIPPED.

Scheme to Kill the Minister of War Is Foiled at Moment.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 27.—The St.

Petersburg police recently received information that a plot was being formed against Gen. Roedigher, the minister of war. An automobile was

with such rapidity that the efforts to pass the barracks of the Preobrazhensky regiment just as the

exception of the American consular, everything burned. Great

distress prevails.

Trouble at School.

Yesterday several carpenters from

the west went to work on the Jack

Lockwood, contractor, and at noon

were waited upon by State Organizer

Adams. It is stated that hot words

resulted, but no violence was offered.

A man seldom does much good in

the world until he stops trying to do

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See fire extinguished Third and

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MINISTER SUICIDES

AGED EPISCOPALIAN DIVINE GIVES WAY TO MELANCHOLIA.

Friend of Bishop Potter and Bishop Huffman Cuts His Own Throat.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 27.—With the glad voices of little children playing before him ringing in his ears, and in full view of nearly a thousand bathers and several hundred tourists, the Rev. Edward H. Jewett, 80 years old, for 15 years professor of pastoral theology in the general theological seminary of New York, a close friend of Bishop Potter and Bishop Huffman, and one of the best known ministers in the United States, committed suicide this afternoon at 1 o'clock on Manhattan Beach, 18 miles from this city, by slitting his throat from ear to ear with a razor.

Despondency because of old age, superinduced by chronic melancholia and years of suffering from rheumatism, are given as the causes for the act by the deceased's family. Mr. Jewett disappeared suddenly at lunch time from the home of his son-in-law, the Rev. Angus M. Porter, rector of the Episcopal church at Redlands, Cal., who has been living at Manhattan Beach since August 1.

GRASS AND TREES.

Root Surface of Litter Should Be Free From Verdure.

That many kinds of trees, especially fruit trees, flourish better when the grass is allowed to grow over their root has been long known to farmers. In some cases the effect of the grass on freshly planted trees is decidedly injurious, and may be almost fatal. This phenomenon has been studied at the Woburn experimental fruit farm in England since 1894, and though no perfectly satisfactory explanation of the action has been obtained, it seems reasonably certain now that bacteria are concerned in it. Spencer Pickering, who writes on the subject in *Nature*, tells us that experiment has shown that it cannot be attributed to the abstraction of food or moisture from the soil by the grass, nor to the influence of the grass on the soil temperature or on the gaseous contents of the soil, and the formation of acid or alkali has also been excluded from the possible causes. The action may be that of a poison produced directly by the grass or indirectly through the agency of bacteria; or, as appears from the latest experiments, may be due to the killing by the grass of root bacteria that promote growth in some way. The writer says:

"The action is not confined to any particular grasses nor to apple trees, but different grasses and different kinds of trees act and suffer, respectively, to different extents. The differences in the results, however, produced by different soils are much sterilized the trees themselves before

planting, though the roots were washed free from soil. The two exceptional trees were in earth which had been heated to the higher temperature; they were two out of six planted under these conditions. It may also be mentioned that heating to the lower temperature does not destroy all soil bacteria; indeed, it may increase the total bacterial contents. It is probably, therefore, a question of killing some particular bacteria which are connected with root activity."

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MAYFIELD.

A gypsy tea was given at the fair grounds last evening in honor of Miss Elizabeth Williamson, of Paducah, who is the guest of Miss Linda Brower, on Broadway.

The race next year for chief of police promises to be quite lively. Besides the present incumbent, C. H. McNutt, there are already two announced candidates, John Gallaway and F. E. Webb. Ed Hamlet, deputy jailer, is in a receptive mood and may decide to enter the contest but has not yet fully made up his mind. Mayfield Messenger.

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more conspicuous, especially in cases where trees are not grassed over until a few years after they have been planted. Though the deleterious action of grass may generally be noticed throughout the country, many notable exceptions have been met with, and these cannot be explained by any of the patent characteristics of the soils in question. Various experiments have been made which emphasize these observations.

In February last, we are told, 26 similar trees were planted in pots under various conditions; 17 were in soil or sand which had not been heated, and nine of them in soil which had been sterilized, or partially sterilized, by heating to about 200 degrees C. and to 82 degrees F. The water lost in the process being made good. Of the 17 in unsterilized material, all started uniformly at the same time, whereas of the nine in sterilized soil, two started about two days later, six did not start until at least 14 days later and one has not started yet. To quote further:

"The heating of the earth, especially to the low temperature of 82 degrees, cannot have appreciably affected its chemical composition, and, indeed, the starting of a tree into growth is independent of nourishment supplied to it, as shown by the behavior of trees in sand; the only alteration produced in the soil by the heating must have been an alteration in the living organisms present in it.

But even in their present state they are sufficiently evident to warrant notification.

"That two out of the nine trees in sterilized soils showed very little retardation in activity is not surprising, as there were many opportunities for the re-inoculation of the soil, the pots containing the trees having been exposed in the open since February 4, and no attempt having been made to sterilize the trees themselves before

planting.

"That fisherman is always talking about the whoppers he caught." "He doesn't catch them," answered Miss Cayenne. "He merely tells them."—Washington Star.

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